

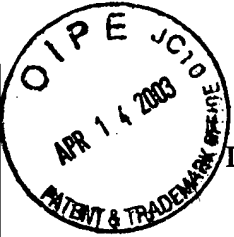


22883

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

#14/B
cc
4-22-03

103.1027.01



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Gaurav BANGA

Serial No.: 09/456,027

Filed: Dec. 3, 1999

For: Computer Assisted Automatic
Error Detection and Diagnosis
of File Servers

Art Unit: 2184

Examiner: Gabriel L CHU

Tel: (703) 308-7298

Office Action Mailed:

Dec. 31, 2002

RECEIVED

APR 18 2003

Technology Center 2100

Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR § 1.8)I hereby certify that this correspondence is being
deposited with the United States Postal Service with
sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope
addressed to:Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

on 4-7-2003

Date

By:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Assistant Commissioner:

This paper is responsive to the outstanding Office Action dated as shown above.

Applicant conditionally request an extension of time in the event that one is required for this
paper. In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.136(a)(3), authorization is hereby granted to charge all
required extension of time fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-0365.

04/16/2003 HVUONG1 00000043 09456027

02 FC:1202
03 FC:1201396.00 OP
420.00 OP